

**CRIMINAL DOCKET
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**

D. C. Form No. 100A Rev.

TITLE OF CASE	ATTORNEYS
<p align="center">THE UNITED STATES</p> <p align="center">vs.</p> <p>Wetahanna Jo Betsey and Buford Bruner, Jr.</p> <p align="right"><i>Betsey</i> Ollie Gresham (Apptd) Mayo Bldg. Tulsa, Okla. 74103 582-5277</p> <p align="right">(Apptd.) Waldo Jones, Sr. 1440 N. - Lansing Tulsa, - Okla.</p>	<p><i>For U. S.:</i> Hubert H. Bryant Asst. U. S. Atty.</p> <p align="right"><i>(Retained)</i> Sam J. Goodwin <i>(Betsey)</i> P. O. Box 284 Pauls Valley, Okla. 73075 <i>For Defendant:</i> Waldo Jones, Sr. (Apptd) 1440 N. Lansing Tulsa David Ness (Apptd - Bruner) Thompson Bldg. Tulsa, Okla.</p>

STATISTICAL RECORD	COSTS	DATE	NAME OR RECEIPT NO.	REC.	DISB.
J.S. 2 mailed <i>5-31-72 Betsey</i> <i>2-2-70</i>	Clerk				
J.S. 3 mailed <i>2-2-70 Bruner</i> <i>3-2-70 Betsey</i> <i>Suppl. 3-31-70 Betsey</i>	Marshal				
Violation Narcotics <i>5-31-72 Betsey</i>	Docket fee				
Title 21					
Sec. 174					

DATE	PROCEEDINGS
1-13-70	Indictment, filed in open court. b
1-13-70	Record vote of the grand jury, filed in open court. b
1-20-70	Defendants each present in person, and defendant Wetahanna Betsey represented. Court appoints Waldo Jones, Sr. to represent defendant Buford Bruner, Jr. Defendant Wetahanna Jo Betsey arraigned and enters plea of GUILTY, and is adjudged GUILTY as charged and sentence passed to Tues. 2-24-70 at 10:00 A.M. Defendant Betsey's request for reduction of bond under advisement. Defendant Bruford Bruner, Jr. arraigned, copy indictment heretofore delivered, defendant enters plea of NOT GUILTY. Defendant Bruner's request for severance granted and case as to defendant Buford Bruner, Jr. is hereby severed and transferred to Criminal Case 70-CR-37, and case 70-CR-37 is set for Jury Trial on Monday, 3-2-70 at 9:30 A.M. Defendant granted 10 days to file motions. (AEB-J)h
1-21-70	Appearance Bond filed, js
1-21-70	Order Specifying Methods and Conditions of Release. filed. js

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DATE	PROCEEDINGS
1-22-70	Ordered by the Court that the sentencing of the defendant, Wetahanna Jo Betsey, is reset for Thursday, January 29, 1970 at 10:00 A. M. (Allen E. Barrow - Judge) b
1-21-70	Hearing held. Defendant present and represented. Court orders that bond of the defendant is reduced to the sum of \$5,000 property bond, and defendant directed not to leave Okla. City, Okla., unless ordered by the court. (AEB-J)h
1-29-70	Sentence as to defendant Weahanna Jo Betsey passed to 2-26-70 at 10:00am (AEB-J)h
2-20-70	Deft's motion to vacate and set aside plea of guilty, filed. m
2-20-70	Brief in support of motion to vacate and set aside plea of guilty, filed. m
2-26-70	Defendant Wetahanna Wetahanna Jo Betsey present in person and represented by Waldo Jones, Sr., court appointed counsel. Mr. Jones announces that defendant has retained counsel, and request to withdraw as court appointed counsel, request granted. Mr. Sam J. Goodwin present in person and represents the defendant. Defendant's motion to vacate and set aside plea of Guilty withdrawn by defendant, and defendant re-enters plea of GUILTY.
	Judgment and Sentence- Wetahanna Jo Betsey(23)
	Defendant committed to the custody of the Attorney
	General or his authorized representative for treatment and supervision
	until discharged by the YCA as provided by T. 18, USC §5010(b) (AEB-J)h
2-2-670	Order of J&C filed and entered. (AEB-J)h
2-26-70	Two c.c. of above delivered to USM.h
3-25-70	Govt's motion to correct sentence, filed. m
3-25-70	Brief in support of motion to correct sentence, filed. m
3-25-70	Defendant Wetahanna Jo Betsey present in person and represented by Robt. B. Copeland. Hearing held on motion of government for correction of sentence. It is adjudged that the government's motion to correct sentence is
	sustained and the sentence imposed 2-26-70 is vacated and set aside.
	IT IS ADJUDGED that the defendant is hereby committed to the custody of
	the Attorney General or his authorized representative for imprisonment for
	a period of Five (5) years. (AEB-J)h
3-25-70	Order of J&C as to defendant Wetahanna Jo Betsey filed and entered. (AEB-J)h
3-25-70	Two c.c. above delivered to USM.h
4-8-70	CC of J & C of 2-26-70 returned unexecuted. b
4-8-70	CC of J & C of 3-25-70 executed by delivering defendant to Tulsa County Jail, Tulsa, Oklahoma on 3-25-70 and to Federal Reformatory on 4-2-70 at Alderson, West Virginia. b
4-24-72	Reporter's Transcript of Proceedings had on 1-20-70, Arraignment and Plea, taken by Larry E. Marks, CSR, filed. v
4-24-72	Proceedings has on Deft.'s motion to vacate and set aside plea of Guilty, and re-plea of guilty, before A.E.B., at Tulsa on 2-26-70, taken by Thomas G. Bloxom, filed. v
4-28-72	Hearing held on 2255 Motion in case 72-C-63 & -145 - regarding <u>Wetahanna Jo Betsey</u> . Court vacates 2255 motion along with previous ruling and plea of Betsey in criminal cases 70-CR-27 & -39, and Betsey is permitted to replea. 70-CR-27 & -39 are set for Arraignment on May 9, 1972, at 10:00 A.M. In case 70-CR-27, Bond is to remain at \$35,000.00, cash or surety. In case 70-CR-39, Bond is to remain at \$15,000.00, cash or surety. Betsey's atty. asks to be relieved of duties and Court so grants. Court appt.s Ollie Gresham to be Ct. appt. counsel. Betsey is remanded to U.S. Marshal. (AEB-J)v
5-9-72	Defendant present in person and rep by Ollie Gresham, appt. Def. enters plea of Not Guilty and case passed for Jury trial on 5-22-72 at 9:30 A.M. Def. remanded to U.S. Marshal. (AEB-J)h

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PROCEEDINGS

WETAHANNA JO BETSEY

5-16-72

Case called for Hearing on Disposition. Deft./present and rep. by Ollie Gresham, Appt. Govt. rep. by Hubert H. Bryant. Govt. submits Dismissal of Indictment to Court, and Court signs Dismissal in Open Court.(AEB-J)v

5-16-72

Dismissal of Indictment, filed in open court. (AEB-J)v

DATE	PROCEEDINGS

UNITED STATES COMMISSIONER

Northern DISTRICT OF Oklahoma

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS IN CRIMINAL CASES

BEFORE Benjamin B. Ballenger 411 U. S. Court House, Tulsa, Okla.
(Name of commissioner) (Address)

COMMISSIONER'S
DOCKET NO. 2 CASE NO. 541
THE UNITED STATES
VS.

Wetahanna Jo Betsey
(23)

and

Buford Bruner, Jr.

Complaint filed on Sept. 11, 1969, by John C. Blanton
Official title Spec. Agt. BNDD, charging violation of
United States Code, Title 21, Section 174, on Aug. 26,
1969, at Tulsa, Okla., in the
division of the Northern district of Oklahoma
as follows: did wilfully and unlawfully sell and
facilitate the sale of a quantity of narcotic drugs
to-wit: approx. 1.18 Grams of Heroin Hydrochloride
knowing that the same had been imported and brought
into the U. S. contrary to law. FILED

(Here insert brief summary of facts constituting offense charged)

WARRANTS OR SUMMONS ISSUED:

Date Sept. 11, 1969 Warrant/Summons for Wetahanna Jo Betsey
to (name and title of officer) the United States Marshal or any other authorized officer:
Substance of return Wetahanna Jo Betsey arrested at Tulsa, Okla., on Sept. 12,
1969 by O'Neil L. Cobb, Deputy, U. S. Marshal
Date Sept. 11, 1969 Warrant/Summons for Buford Bruner, Jr.
(Name of defendant)

to (name and title of officer) United States Marshal, or any other authorized officer:
Substance of return Buford Bruner, Jr., arrested at Tulsa, Okla., on Sept. 15,
1969 by Carl W. Gardner, Deputy, U. S. Marshal.

PROCEEDINGS ON FIRST PRESENTATION OF ACCUSED TO COMMISSIONER:

Date Sept. 12, 1969 Arrested by O'Neil L. Cobb
Dep. U. S. Marshal
Appearances { for United States Hubert H. Bryant, Asst. U. S. Atty.
(Name) (Address)
for accused Waldo E. Jones
(Name) (Address)

Proceedings taken 9-12-69 Accused, Wetahanna Jo Betsey, present in person and
(Here insert with dates, when appropriate, a serial account of essential steps taken at hearing such as "complaint prepared,"
represented by Waldo E. Jones, government represented by Hubert H. Bryant, U.S.

If arrest is without warrant: "defendant informed of complaint and right to retain counsel and preliminary hearing"; "preliminary examination waived,"

Attorney. Accused advised as to the charge and as to preliminary hearing.

If that is the fact; any adjournments taken, etc.

Preliminary hearing set for Sept. 26, 1969 at 9:30 A. M. Bond fixed

in the amount of \$15,000/00 cash or surety. Accused failed to post bond and
is committed to the custody of the U. S. Marshal to be held for preliminary.

Outcome Held for preliminary, failed to post bond, committed to U. S. Marshal

Bail fixed Sept. 12th, 1969 Amount, \$ 15,000.00 Bonded, 19, by cash
deposited by (name) Address, 19, [or] by surety
transmitted to clerk of district court (name) Address, 19, [or] by surety
(name) Address, 19, [or] by surety
justified by affidavit dated, 19, [or] committed to custody U. S. Marshal
on Sept. 12th, 1969

SUBPOENAS FOR WITNESSES ISSUED:

_____, 19____, for (name of witness) _____
 at request of (name of party) _____
 Substance of return _____ **September 16, 1969 Accused, Buford Bruner, Jr., present in person, not represented by counsel, advised as to counsel and waived, waiver signed, advised as to charge and as to preliminary hearing, requested preliminary hearing and set for September 26, 1969 at 9:30 A. M.**

_____, 19____, for (name of witness) _____
 at request of (name of party) _____
 Substance of return _____ **Affidavit signed and David L. Noss appointed as counsel. Bond fixed at \$25,000.00 cash or surety. Failed to post bond and commitment issued.**

_____, 19____, for (name of witness) _____
 at request of (name of party) _____
 Substance of return _____ **Benjamin B. Ballenger**

PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION:

(Not to be used if case was disposed of at first presentation)

Date **Sept. 26, 1969** Appearances for

{	United States	(Name)	Hubert H. Bryant, Asst.
		(Address)	U. S. Attorney
	Accused	(Name)	Betsey-Waldo Jones, Jr.
		(Address)	Bruner-David L. Noss-App

WITNESSES FOR UNITED STATES: (List names and addresses)

Kelly Don McCullough, Agt. BNDD
Eddie Joe Edrington, c/o BNDD

WITNESSES FOR ACCUSED: (List names and addresses)

Witness payroll containing _____ names certified to United States Marshal for payment **Sept. 26**, 1969

Proceedings taken

Accused, Wetahanna Jo Betsey, present and represented by Waldo Jones, Jr., Buford Bruner, Jr., present and represented by David L. Noss, Court Apptd. counsel. Government represented by Hubert H. Bryant, Asst. U. S. Attorney. Kelly Don McCullough and Eddie Joe Edrington, each sworn as witnesses. government rested and accused advised of constitutional rights to furnish witnesses and to testify. Accused rested. It appeared to the Commissioner that there is probable cause to believe the offense so charged has been committed and the accused, Wetahanna Jo Betsey and Buford Bruner, Jr. committed it. The bond of Buford Bruner, Jr., shall remain at \$25,000.00 cash or surety. The bond of Wetahanna Jo Betsey shall be reduced to \$10,000.00 cash or surety, upon oral motion of Waldo Jones her attorney.

Outcome **Probable cause found and accused committed it.**

Bail fixed **as above**, 19____ Amount, \$____ Bonded____, 19____, by cash deposited by (name)____ Address____
 transmitted to clerk of district court____, 19____
 [or] by surety (names)____ Address____
 and____ Address____
 who justified by affidavit____, **Each** Committed to **custody of U. S. Marshal**
 on **Sept. 26th**, 1969

Certified to be a correct transcript.

Made this _____ day of **September 29th**, 19**69**

Transmitted to Clerk of United States District Court for the **Northern** district of **Oklahoma**, **September 29th**, 1969

Benjamin B. Ballenger

Benjamin B. Ballenger
 United States Commissioner.

UNITED STATES COMMISSIONER
Northern DISTRICT OF Oklahoma

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS—MISCELLANEOUS

BEFORE Benjamin B. Ballenger, 411 U. S. Court House, Tulsa, Okla.
(Name of Commissioner) (Address)

This form should be used to record proceedings for which Forms AO 100 and AO 101 are not adapted, such as applications for search warrants, extradition proceedings, depositions in civil cases, proceedings for the release of poor convicts, references in civil or admiralty cases, attachments and subsequent hearings in internal revenue matters, proceedings to settle or certify nonpayment of seamen's wages, civil rights proceedings, detentions of witnesses on removal proceedings in connection with criminal proceedings, if not included in Form AO 100, etc. A separate page should be used for each proceeding, showing the title of the case, its nature, and the date and nature of each step taken.

Commissioner's

Docket No. 2, Case No. 543

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

vs.

~~Premises known as 38 West 27th
Street North, Tulsa, Tulsa
Oklahoma, etc~~

Affidavit for Search Warrant filed
September 11, 1969 by John C. Blanton,
Special Agent BNDD, Tulsa, Oklahoma

(Nature of proceeding)

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DATE

Certified to be a correct transcript of Docket Entries.

DATED September 16th 19 69

Benjamin B. Ballenger

United States Commissioner